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[Program Announcement 01038]

Cooperative Agreement for 2001 National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program; Notice of Availability of Funds; Amendment

A notice announcing the availability of Fiscal Year 2001 funds to fund a cooperative agreement program for a National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program was published in the **Federal Register** on May 17, 2001, [Vol 66, Number 96, Pages 27505-27511]. The notice is amended as follows:

On page 27505, second column, under section B. Eligible Applicants, the first paragraph, second line, insert “and territories (including the Federated States of Micronesia and the Republic of the Marshall Islands) between the words “States” and “or”.

On page 27505, second column, under section B. Eligible Applicants, the first paragraph, third line, insert “or instrumentalities” between the words “agents,” and “including”.

On page 27505, second column, under section B. Eligible Applicants, the first paragraph, line nine, insert “(including Indian Tribes, Tribal organizations, Alaska Natives and Urban Indian organizations and inter-tribal consortia, hereafter referred to as Tribes). An inter-tribal consortium or American Indian/Alaskan Native (AI/AN) organization is only eligible for funding if its primary purpose for incorporation is to improve AI/AN health, and it is representative of the Tribes, Alaska Native villages, or Urban Indian communities in which it is located. Tribes are encouraged to collaborate with other Tribes to expand the potential screening population.” after the words “Tribal government”

On page 27507, third column, under section F. Program Requirements, Recipient Activities, delete item 1.c.

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[Program Announcement 01038]

Cooperative Agreement for 2001 National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program; Notice of Availability of Funds

A. Purpose

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the availability of fiscal year (FY) 2001 funds for a cooperative agreement program for the National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program (NBCCEDP). This program addresses the “Healthy People 2010” priority area related to cancer.

The purpose of the NBCCEDP is to apply a State, territorial, or tribal public health approach to increase access to and use of screening services. The NBCCEDP was established through the Breast and Cervical Cancer Mortality Prevention Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-354) and provides screening services for low income women. Funded programs will establish a comprehensive breast and cervical cancer early detection screening program that includes the following program components: Breast and cervical cancer screening, tracking, follow-up and case management; public education and outreach; professional education; quality assurance and improvement; surveillance and evaluation; coalitions and partnerships; and management, hereafter referred to as the NBCCEDP program components.

The President has committed the nation to an ambitious goal: By the year 2010, to eliminate the disparities in health status experienced by racial and ethnic minority populations. The NBCCEDP has been established to move closer to this goal by addressing the deficits in breast and cervical cancer screening and management among these women.

B. Eligible Applicants

Assistance will be provided only to the official health departments of States and territories (including the Federated States of Micronesia and the Republic of

the Marshall Islands) or their bona fide agents or instrumentalities, including the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of Palau, and federally recognized Indian Tribal governments (including Indian Tribes, Tribal organizations, Alaska Natives and Urban Indian organizations and inter-tribal consortia, hereafter referred to as Tribes).

An inter-tribal consortium or American Indian/Alaskan Native (AI/AN) organization is only eligible for funding if its primary purpose for incorporation is to improve AI/AN health, and it is representative of the Tribes, Alaska Native villages, or Urban Indian communities in which it is located. Tribes are encouraged to collaborate with other Tribes to expand the potential screening population.

States and Tribes currently receiving CDC funds under Program Announcement 96023, entitled 1996 National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program, are eligible to apply for funding under this announcement.

1. The following States and Territories are not eligible to apply:

a. American Samoa, California, Colorado, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Carolina, South Carolina, Texas, and West Virginia, which are funded under Program Announcement 718 entitled National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program.

b. Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhodes Island, Utah, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin, Puerto Rico, and Guam, which are funded under Program Announcement 99052 entitled National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program.

2. The following Tribes are not eligible to apply:

a. Consolidated Tribal Health Project, Inc. (CA) and Southeast Regional Health Consortium (AK), which are funded under Program Announcement 718 entitled National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program.

b. Arctic Slope Native Association (AK), Cherokee Nation (OK), Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe (OK), Poarch Band of Creek Indians (AL), South Central Foundation (AK), and South Puget Intertribal Planning Agency (WA), which are funded under Program announcement 99052 entitled National